

From the LONDON GAZETTE, Aug. 30.
Carlton-House, Aug. 29.

THE Prince of Wales has been pleased to appoint Charles Bowen, Esq; to be Gentleman Usher Extraordinary to his Royal Highness.

St. Ildefonso, Aug. 11.

His Royal Highness the Infant Don Lewis, brother to his Catholic Majesty, died on Sunday last the 7th instant.

Vienna, Aug. 17.

Some appearance of the plague having manifested itself at Gallatz, in Moldavia, a cordon of Imperial troops has been drawn round the frontiers of Bucowina, and a quarantine established to prevent all danger of infection.

INTELLIGENCE FROM LLOYD'S, Aug. 30.

CAPTAIN Cattle, of the Ashley, arrived in the River from Jamaica, on the 1st inst. spoke the Faithful Steward, M^cCallister, from Londonderry to Philadelphia, in lat. 44. N. Long. about 36 E. all well.

From the London Papers, August 30.

Upper Austria, July 28. The 23d instant, at half an hour after midnight, a shock of an earthquake was felt at Steyeren, St. George, Pulgarn, and the neighbouring parts, and at six in the morning there was another shock, but not so violent as the former. At the time of the earthquakes, it was observed that the waters of the Danube were greatly agitated.

Vienna, Aug. 4. The porcelain manufactory in this city now gives employment to four hundred workmen. The amount of the duties payable by this manufactory to Government is stipulated to be 1200 florins per annum.

L'Orient, Aug. 20. Paul Jones is arrived here from Paris, to fit out three ships, on his own account it is said, of which he will take the command, on an expedition to Kamshatka to purchase furs, and establish a factory. This he is enabled to do, by having lately received four hundred thousand livres for the prizes he took in the war.

LONDON, Aug. 30.

Yesterday, the Duchess of Devonshire was delivered of a son and heir, at Devonshire-house in Piccadilly. This son is Marquis of Hartington; and if he lives until he is twenty-one years of age, the Burlington estate comes to him, and Burlington-house is appointed for his town residence, according to the will of the late Earl of Burlington. And it is a query, Whether he is not an English Peer, his grandfather (the late Duke, previous to his going to Ireland) being called up to the House of Commons as the original parent of the Duke, which contained a vendish of Hardwick, in Derbyshire.

The Duke of Rutland has certainly written home in peremptory terms for regulations by which he may gratify the Irish nation in cherishing their rising manufactures—or for a successor. He will not meet them next week without preparation. In consequence of this several Cabinet Councils have been held.

The Chair in the Irish House of Commons being quietly surrendered to Mr. Foster, does not indicate that opposition found themselves weaker since the great question on the commercial propositions. M. W. Ponsonby was not a very great favourite with the country gentlemen. He voted for the propositions.

A permanent agreement in the present critical conjuncture between Great-Britain and Ireland (says a correspondent) is to be effected only by a national union. In process of time, this, there is some reason to hope, will be effected; and, certainly, it is easy to foresee, that England and Ireland must henceforth be more united, or more divided, than they have ever been. If they should be more united, and one head should call forth the energy, and direct the movements of the whole, the British empire might, perhaps, yet rise to an envied pre-eminence among the nations—a pre-eminence more durable than that from which she has lately fallen, because, it is presumed, that experience has now taught her political wisdom and moderation. Scotland is a kingdom greatly inferior in natural fertility and situation, as well as in number of inhabitants, to Ireland. And it is easy to trace a considerable share of the prosperity of England to its union with Scotland.

The Irish are actually preparing ships to sail beyond the Cape of Good Hope; and, provided they do not make encroachments upon British settlements, but support a trade with the natives, and with other European countries, who, or what power on earth can justly prevent them?

The Dutch army experiences a defection that seems to threaten it with serious consequences, the officers as well as soldiers of the Republic deserting by companies, and taking refuge under the Imperial ensigns.

The late efforts of the Empress of Russia, for the introduction of liberty among her people, have not been wholly in vain. But a long series of years must intervene, before a succession of Sovereigns, who sit precariously on a despotic and military throne, can effect so mighty a revolution, as the rise of the people on the ruins of their powerful and lordly chieftains; for it is impossible to retain numerous and immense provinces, but by allowing men their own laws, and giving power to their ancient chiefs. Yet, what can be done for this end by human genius, is done by the Empress. Privileges accorded to all who have borne arms, the number of which it is in the power of the Crown to increase almost to any amount; rights and immunities granted to the tenants or possessors of the Imperial demesnes, with the example of the advantages accruing to the landlord from so wise and liberal a policy; and, above all, the introduction of the arts of civilization, and the light of literature, will gradually introduce into the great Russian Empire liberty, industry, and all that exalts and adorns life.

Upon a computation made by the Intendant of the Finances in France, in the month of June last, it appeared that the French West-India islands had imported property, in the space of 13 months, into the mother-country, by which she gained a balance of 5,250,000l. sterling. This is a fact, and shews how much the value of the French settlements in America has increased within these few years.

On Saturday morning, about nine o'clock, an express arrived from Stonelands, with an account of the death of Lord Viscount Sackville, the fourth son of Lionel Cranfield, the seventh Earl, and first Duke of Dorset.

Lord Sackville was born on the 26th of January 1716. King George I. was his godfather, and he was christened George after him. Until February 1770 he was usually called Lord George Sackville; but Lady Betty Germaine dying in 1769, he assumed the surname of Germaine, by virtue of an act of parliament passed in February 1770, to enable him and his issue (male) to take and use the surname of Germaine, pur-

suant to the wills of Sir John and Lady Elizabeth Germaine, of Drayton, in the county of Northampton. His Lordship taking to a military life, from his youth, was, after other commissions, constituted, in 1740, Lieutenant Colonel of General Philip Bragge's (the 28th) regiment of foot; and, after the battle of Dettingen, on June 27. N. S. 1743, his Majesty, on July 9. following, declared him one of his Aid de Camps. He served in the campaign the year after; and, at the battle of Fontenoy, on May 11. N. S. 1745, distinguished himself at the head of the regiment, where he was wounded. His Lordship serving in Scotland, under the Duke of Cumberland, at the time of the rebellion, was, on April 9. 1746, constituted Colonel of the 20th regiment of foot, and continued in Scotland most part of that year.

His Lordship was elected one of the members for the port of Dover, to the Parliaments summoned to meet in 1741, 1747, and 1754.

His Lordship also served abroad in the two ensuing campaigns, 1747 and 1748, under his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland, who, during the negotiations for a peace, in 1748, sent him to the head quarters of the French, to confer with Marshal Saxe, and to conclude a general armistice to be proclaimed in both armies, which he effected; after which his Lordship, with a French General officer, went to Mactricht, where he lay in the Marshal's department, and, settling affairs there, returned the next day to the English camp. On November 1. 1749, he was constituted Colonel of the 12th regiment of dragoons; and, on January 23. 1749-50, Colonel of the King's regiment of Horse Carabineers, in Ireland.—In 1751, he went over Secretary of State to that kingdom; and, on February 22. 1755, was promoted to the rank of Major General. On April 5. 1757, his Lordship got the command of the 2d regiment of Dragoon Guards; and, on December the 20th ensuing, was declared Lieutenant-General of the Ordnance.—On January 26. 1758, he was constituted Lieutenant General of his Majesty's forces, and the next day sworn of the Privy Council.

His Lordship being next in command to the Duke of Marlborough, in the expedition which proved so fatal, in June 1758, to the shipping and naval stores, at St. Malo, in France, made good the landing, at the head of the grenadiers, in the face of the enemy. The Duke, upon his return from the descent, being sent with a body of British troops to Germany, in aid of his Majesty's Electoral dominions, Lord George also accompanied him on that occasion, in quality of Lieutenant-General; and upon his Grace's death, which happened on the 16th of September 1758, he was appointed Commander in chief of the British forces in Germany, under Prince Ferdinand of Brunswick, Generalissimo of the allied army there, in the pay of Great Britain.

In that important station his Lordship discovered his great abilities, and promoted the interest of his country, and of the service, with much zeal and firmness; but it unfortunately happened, that his Lordship's behaviour at the battle of Minden, or Thonhausen, fought on August 1. 1759, did not give satisfaction to Prince Ferdinand of Brunswick, the General in Chief, which his Serene Highness seemed tacitly to imply in his orders of August 2. wherein his Lordship was not mentioned. His Lordship thereupon applied for, and obtained his Majesty's permission to return home; and upon his arrival in England, a court martial, by his own repeated desire, was appointed to enquire into his Lordship's conduct; when he was pronounced incapable of ever serving his Majesty in a military capacity.

At the General Election in 1761, his Lordship was returned both for the town and Port of Hythe, in Kent, and the burgh of East Grintead in Suffex, and chose his seat for the former, which he had represented afterwards. On November 10. 1775, his Lordship was appointed Secretary of State for the Colonies, and likewise First Lord of Trade. He was also one of his Majesty's most Honourable Privy Council, and Clerk of the Council in Ireland. On the 11th of February 1782, upon resigning his post of Secretary of State, he was created a Peer of Great Britain, by the title of Viscount Sackville and Baron Bolebroke.

In September 1754, his Lordship married Diana, second daughter and co-heiress of John Sambroke, Esq; only brother of Sir Jeremy Sambroke, of Gubbins, in Hertfordshire, Bart, and by her had two sons; Charles, born Aug. 20. 1767, now Viscount Sackville, first cousin and presumptive heir to the Duke of Dorset; George, born December 7. 1770; and three daughters; Diana, born July 8. 1756, married November 1777, to John Earl Glendore in Ireland; Elizabeth, born July 5. 1762; and Caroline, born June 30. 1764. Their mother died Jan. 15. 1778.

OPINION of ENGLISH COUNSEL on the Bill for diminishing the number of the LORDS of SESSION in SCOTLAND, sent to Mr. BOSWELL by CAPEL LOFFT, Esq; of LINCOLN'S INN.

"GIVE me leave to say that I fully accord with your objections against the expediency of such a change; and also, that after attentively considering the part of the act of Union on which the question turns (Stat. 5 Anne, ch. 8. Article 19) I think the words, 'That the Court of Session or College of Justice do, after the Union, and notwithstanding thereof, remain in all time coming within Scotland, as it is now constituted by the laws of that kingdom, and with the same authority and privileges as before the Union, subject nevertheless to regulations for the better administration of justice as shall be made by the Parliament of Great Britain,' will bear no other legitimate construction than that for which you so forcibly argue. As a common act of Parliament, the proviso must be conformable, not repugnant, to the leading clause; and reservations of right must be favourably construed; and no derogatory clause must be carried beyond its necessary import. As the *pacta conventa*, which were to regulate the future relation of two sovereign states, by absorbing the separate dominion of the one, and incorporating it on certain reserves with the legislature of the other, all authority retained by the acceding state must be understood to be effectually reserved, and nothing conceded beyond those great points which are given up in express terms, or by necessary consequence. The cautiously limited term, 'Regulations,' as opposed to authority and privilege, which constitute the court what it is, can be no farther consistently extended than to subordinate matters of convenience; but the number of judges being a primary ingredient of the Court itself; to alter this is not regulation, but appointment of a different court, ademption of expressly reserved privileges, and change in an authority established perpetual by the Union; and this too with a contrary tendency to that of

promoting the better administration of justice; though even such better administration (were it so) could be rightfully promoted by the British Parliament only so far as points truly of regulation would reach; and not by altering the Court itself. On these reasons I esteem your stand in the defence of the rights of Scotland on this question to have been a wise and generous one; and as each side of the Island has a common interest in preserving the liberties of the whole, and retaining inviolate that good faith and compact by which we are united, whether as an Englishman or a Briton, I thank you.

"CAPEL LOFFT."

Trafalgar Hall, June 7. 1785.

Mr. Lofft is universally allowed to be an eminent master of public law, and having had his opinion transmitted to him for reconsideration, he wrote an addition as follows:

"I continue fully convinced, that to lessen the number of the Judges of the Court of Session, is not to regulate for the better administration of justice, but to introduce a change exceedingly perilous to whatever degree of purity and independence may exist in the present administration of justice, by a body, to which a peculiar union of extraordinary powers is already confided: And that, besides these alarming direct tendencies, would be a positive, clear infraction of the treaty of Union; a treaty which ought, if there can be degrees in necessary justice, to be even more sacred than any compact between distinct independent States.

"The extent of this assumed power, under colour of regulation, is truly formidable; and for aught I see, absolutely unconfined by any limits, if in the first instance it be not disallowed.

"By the same rule that is made to justify the proposed diminution, the Court might be reduced to four Judges; nay, even to one; since if its whole unimpaired number, as it stood at the time of the Union, be not integrant and essential to that constitution of the Court, then substituting, and by the Union solemnly reserved immutable, no number is essential, no authority or privileges can be specified fundamental; but all may be regulated away, till, worse than the ship of Theseus, it would not retain the most distant semblance of identity.

"I confess I shall be anxious till the attempt is either completely defeated, or, without risking the experiment anew, explicitly abandoned.

"CAPEL LOFFT."

Trafalgar Hall, August 17. 1785.

PRICE OF STOCKS, August 30.

5 per cent. Ann. 92½ a 93.	Short Ann. 1778, 12 9-16ths a 1.
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Long Ann. 18.	Navy Bills, 4½ disc.
	Lottery Tickets, 11 l. 18 s.

WIND AT DEAL, August 29. S. S. E.

EDINBURGH.

Extract of a letter from London, Aug. 30.

"The deliberations of the Cabinet have lately turned much upon the unsettled state of affairs on the Continent, in which his Britannic Majesty, as Elector of Hanover, has been very deeply interested; and as it might eventually involve this kingdom in a war, his Majesty thought fit to advise with the Cabinet on the part he has acted, which is, to join the King of Prussia, and the Elector of Saxony, and form with them a confederacy against the Emperor of Germany, who has lately been labouring to make his brother, the Arch-Duke of the Austrias, King of the Romans, as no one can ever succeed to the Imperial diadem without first wearing that crown, and also to create three new Electors, by parceling out three capital districts of land in his dominions. His Imperial Majesty had even proceeded so far in this great and important undertaking, as to have secured six of the Electors of Germany in his interest; but as no new Elector can be made, without the unanimous approbation of the nine Electors, his project must of course be defeated by the junction formed against it by his Prussian Majesty, and the Electors of Hanover and Saxony; the former of which, in case of a necessity for so doing, is to bring into the field one hundred and forty thousand troops; while the former of the two Electors is to join him with forty-six thousand, and the latter with seventy thousand effective men, a body of troops sufficiently strong to resist the ambitious designs of the Emperor, however favoured by the Court of France.

"It is this, and not any breaking out afresh of the differences between the Emperor and the Dutch, that has caused so many couriers and rumours to be passing; and hence the views of the restless Joseph will, in all probability, be baffled, at least during the life of the immortal Monarch of Prussia.

"By private letters from Spain, the authenticity of which may be depended on, the Spaniards are fitting out another grand armament, with all possible expedition, against Algiers, the Algerines having lately more than ever annoyed the trade of that kingdom; though it is much to be doubted, whether it will be attended with any success. Indeed, the English seem to be the only people likely to be secured from that piratical ate, on account of their possession of Gibraltar.

"It is now confidently said to be the determination of the British Cabinet, to instruct the Duke of Rutland, upon meeting the Irish Parliament, to assure it, in general terms, of the sincere wish of the Administration to render Ireland every possible relief, with respect to her commerce, which, should she be satisfied with, his Grace is to continue; if not, to leave the kingdom.

"The much-talked-of celebrated Arnold is to ascend in his Balloon to-morrow at two o'clock, in St. George's Fields, and is, when above a mile from the earth, to fix a gentleman in a parachute, who will immediately descend therewith. As this will be the first experiment ever made of the kind, a prodigious concourse of people is expected to attend on the occasion.

Mrs Gordon of Pitlurg was safely delivered of a daughter on the 29th ult.

On the 8th of last month, the University of St. Andrews conferred the degree of Doctor of Medicine on Mr. James Bowe, Surgeon at Biggar.

His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales has been pleased to appoint the Rev. Dr. James Playfair, minister of the gospel at Meigle, and author of the System of Chronology, Historiographer for the Principality of Scotland.

On Friday the 19th ult. died at the manse of Kilfinnan, the Rev. Mr. Robert Macfarlane, minister of that parish.

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a pistol at the other, without effect, when they were prevented from proceeding further by the interference of one of the seconds, who had sent for a party of the Abbey guard. It seems the combatants are resolved to fight it out at some future period.

The tax upon retail shop-keepers, seems to be equally obnoxious here as in London and Westminster. A general meeting of those who will be primarily affected by it is to be held here on Tuesday next. [See advertisement in this night's paper.]

The Legislature seems now to consider London and Edinburgh in the same point of view. By the late acts for taxing attorneys, medicines, and granting other licenses, high duties are laid upon these two cities, when low duties are paid by every other place in England and Scotland. It is therefore reasonable that London and Edinburgh should be put on the same footing in every other respect, and paper be allowed to be stamped in both cities. By the articles of the Union both nations are intitled to the same privileges in trade. It is very absurd that the people of Scotland shall be obliged to buy paper at an advanced price at London, and be at the expence of a land-carriage of 400 miles, when they can be much better supplied at home, and their own manufactures encouraged. See advertisement in this night's paper, for calling a meeting to apply for a remedy of this grievance, which has been so long and so justly complained of.

On Wednesday arrived at Glasgow, the Right Hon. Edmund Burke, Lord Rector of that University, accompanied by his son, and William Wyndham, Esq; member of Parliament for Norwich.

On Wednesday his Majesty's Justices of the Peace for Lanarkshire, fined a young man 20 l. Sterling, in terms of the late act of Parliament, for shooting without a license; and we are informed, that the Fiscal of court has received positive instructions to prosecute every unqualified person whatever, that may kill or have game in their possession this season.

On Friday evening last, a young boy of Kelfo, walking in the country, eat of *hyoscydon*, or *fungus rotundus orbicularis*, in English, puff-ball, or dusty mushroom. The same night he was seized with violent convulsions, attended with a paralytic affection of his tongue and throat, which prevented his being able to swallow any one thing. To this was added, a palsy of his right side. For thirty-six hours he had every appearance of death, but is now in a fair way of recovery, except that he has not yet got the power of his right leg and arm.

A journeyman joiner in Kelfo having procured some arsenic for poisoning rats, mixed it amongst oatmeal, and laid it in his tool-chest. His wife accidentally finding it, and not knowing the meal contained poison, put it into their porridge on Monday morning last. Her eldest child, who is about three years of age, upon tasting the porridge, said they were bad, and would take no more, but she and a child she was nursing took a few spoonfuls of them; which they had no sooner done, than they were seized with violent reaching and vomiting, attended with a heat and pricking pain in the stomach. The husband coming in soon after for his breakfast, she told him what she had done, when he exclaimed, "You are all poisoned!" He immediately ran for a doctor, who made use of every proper means to expel the poison, which we hope was happily effected, as they are now in a fair way of recovery.

Tuesday, between two and three o'clock afternoon, four men (Robson, Sadler, Smith, and Macdonald) employed in cleaning away some rubbish where a new house is to be built, near the end of the Bridge, Kelfo, approaching too near the wall of an old house adjoining, though expressly contrary to the orders of the proprietor and of the undertaker, it fell upon them, and they were all four buried in the ruins. They were dug out with all possible expedition; the two former dead, but the two latter both alive. Smith was a most miserable spectacle, both his thighs being broke, his sides much bruised, one of his cheek-bones and his under jaw broke in several places, and his tongue very much mangled: He lived in the greatest agony till next day about one o'clock afternoon, when death delivered him from his misery. Macdonald had one of his arms broke, both above and below the elbow, and his skull fractured. There are small hopes of his recovery. A collection was made through the town for the relief of their families, and a considerable sum collected.

We hear, that on Wednesday last, a young woman at Birkhillside Mill, going too near one of the mill-wheels, it caught hold of her clothes, dragged her in, and crushed her to pieces.

On the night between Saturday and Sunday last, two manufacturers work-shops in the Old Vennel, Glasgow, was broke into, and muslins, (some in a finished, and some in an unfinished state) to the value of six or seven pounds, were carried off. On Monday morning, James Murray and Peter MacLachlan were taken up, and, upon examination, have confessed the crime. They likewise gave information of the persons to whom they sold the goods; upon which one man and two women were imprisoned as refetters of the goods stolen. Murray and MacLachlan are only about 15 or 16 years old.

HIGHLAND MUSIC.

ON Thursday last, the Judges met for determining the prizes given to best performers on the Great Highland Pipe, when the first prize, being 40 marks in money and an elegant bag-pipe, was unanimously adjudged to Donald McIntyre, sen. from Rannoch in Perthshire, a man of 75 years of age, whose performance met with universal approbation from a numerous assembly.

The second prize, 30 marks, was given to Colin McNab, piper to Francis McNab, Esq; of McNab; and the third prize, of 30 marks, was adjudged to Paul McInnes, from Lochaber, piper to John Cameron, Esq; of Callart.

The money collected from the sale of tickets was divided among the candidates who got no prizes, for the purpose expressed in advertisements, of defraying their travelling charges.

Mr McDonald of Clanranald, as President of the Judges, and one of the Vice-Presidents of the Highland Society of Edinburgh, declared their approbation to the whole performers, whose improvement since last year, in the ancient martial music of Scotland, was very remarkable, and must, therefore, give much satisfaction to the Society who instituted this plan of practice and excellence in Highland music.

The dancing between different parts of the competition was performed with great spirit and agility, highly to the entertainment of the company, who continued their approbation of this exhibition. The music consisted of Pibrochs, Salutes, Marches, Gatherings, and Laments, the wildness and martial title of which had a very pleasing effect.

Follows a List of the different Performers and Competitors.

1. John Cumming, Piper to Sir James Grant of Grant, Bart.
2. Robert McIntyre, Piper to John McDonald, Esq; of Clanranald.
3. Alexander Lamont, Piper to John Lamont, Esq; of Lamont.
4. Colin McNab, Piper to Francis McNab, Esq; of McNab.
5. Donald Gun, Piper to Sir John Clark of Pennyquick, Bart.
6. Donald McIntyre, sen. from Rannoch, who won the first prize.
7. Dougald McDougal, Piper to Dougald McDougal, Esq; of Gallanich.
8. John McPherson from Breadalbane, Piper to Colonel Duncan McPherson of Cluny.
9. Hugh McGregor, from the stewarty of Montear.
10. Malcolm McPherson, from Breadalbane.
11. Donald Fisher from Breadalbane, who won the second prize last year.
12. Archibald McGrigor from Fortingal.
13. Alexander McGrigor, from Fortingal.
14. John McGrigor, from Glenlyon.
15. John McGrigor jun. a boy of twelve years of age, son to the above John McGrigor from Fortingal, who won the prize last year.
16. Donald McLean, of Edinburgh.
17. Donald McIntyre, jun. from the estate of Sir Robert Menzies of that ilk, in Rannoch, Perthshire.
18. Paul McInnes from Lochaber, Piper to John Cameron, Esq; of Callart, who won the third prize.
19. Allan McIntyre, of Edinburgh.
20. John McPherson from Strathpey, late Piper to the Atholl Highlanders.
21. Duncan Stewart, from Rannoch.
22. John Dewar from the estate of Sir Robert Menzies.
23. Ranald McDonald, from Culloden.
24. Robert McDougal, from Fortingal.
25. Duncan Sinclair, from Montear.

The competition was introduced by a Salute played by Professor McArthur, Piper to the Highland Society of Edinburgh, and by a piece performed by John McGrigor, who won the first prize last year. A piece was also played by Peter McGrigor, who won a prize at Falkirk. And the whole concluded with *Clanranald's March*, played in a very masterly stile by Professor McArthur.

For some days past, Leith has been infested with a parcel of pick-pockets, and several of the inhabitants have suffered considerably in consequence of their depredations. Last night, and early this morning, a number of these banditti, and other disorderly persons, were apprehended in this city, and committed to the City-guard. This morning, they were escorted to Leith, under a proper guard, for the inspection of the sufferers, and that they may be dealt with according to their demerits.

MONITOR in our next.

ARRIVED AT LEITH, Aug. 31. Eliock, Clark, from Bremen, with elapboards, &c.; William and John, Hunter, from Hull, with goods; Nancy, Phillips, from Rye, with bark; Jenny, Crawford, from Memel, with logs; Peggy, Chalmers, from Hull, with timber; Diligence, Galloway, from Alloa, with staves; Lady Charlotte, Ferrier, from Glasgow, with goods. — Sept. 1. Mally, Brown, from Montrose, with goods; Phoenix, Dean, from London, with goods; John, Ford, from Yarmouth, with bark; Jenny, Kyle, from Rye, with bark; Betty and Peggy, Robertson, from Almouth, with grain. — 2. John, Kay, from Campvere, with wood and hoops; Diligence, Angus, from Wearn, with grain; Britannia, Nicol, from Archangel, with tallow and iron; Janet, Miller, from Anstruther, with grain; Jean, Napier, from Glasgow, with goods. — 3. Flora, Drummond, from Alloa, with malt.

SAILED, Friendship, Thomson, from Ely, in ballast; Providence, Ross, for Almouth, with goods; a boat, to Leven, with goods; Jean, Brown, for Glasgow, with goods; Generous Mind, Knight, for Dundee, with goods; Friendship, Milne, for Aberdeen, with goods; Betty and Bell, Allan, for Frank, with grain; Friends, Robertson, for Campvere, with grain; Fortune, Charteris, for Campvere, with lead; Appearance, Brandt, for Carlsby in Norway, in ballast; Peggy, Mackie, for Alloa, with tar.

ARRIVED AT GREENOCK, Aug. 29. Speedwell, Thomson, from Isle of Man, in ballast; Jean, Dorian, from Liverpool, with goods; Janet and Jean, White, from Southampton, with timber; Wallace, Orr, from Wales, with timber; Happy Return, Legkheart, from Dumfries, with meal; Jean, Thomson, for Dublin, with goods; Betty, Lisk, from Grenada, with sugar, &c.; Vigilant, Hay, from Virginia, with tobacco; Eagle, Fryars, from Liverpool, with sugar; 30. Agnes, Hill, from Dumfries, with meal; Glasgow, Slater, from Kendal, with goods; Anne, Martin, from Redard, with timber; Greenock, Mackinlay, from Milford, with ditto; John and William Davis, from Wales, with ditto. — 31. Fair Penitent, Hunter, from Barbadoes, with sugar, &c. — Sept. 1. Minerva, Spears, from Jamaica, with ditto; Alexander, Ritchie, from Philadelphia, with goods; Sandwell, Lawrie, from New York, with tobacco; Thetis, — from Virginia, with tobacco.

ARRIVED AT GRANGEMOUTH, August 29. Barbara, Gray, from Almouth, with oat meal. — 30. Hero, Mercer, from Memel, with timber; Jean, Brown, from Leith, for Glasgow, with goods; Dispatch, Aiken, from Borrowstounness, for ditto, with ditto. — September 1. Carron, Paterson, from London, with ditto; Jean and Peggy, Jack, from Dundee, with iron.

SAILED, August 30. Jessie, Berry, for Peterburgh, with guns; Friendship, Bedlington, for Riga, in ballast. — September 2. Paisley, Duncan, for London, with goods; Jean, Ronald, for Alloa, with malt; Peggy, Gow, for ditto, with ditto; Collier, Black, for ditto, with household goods; Jean, Napier, from Glasgow, for Leith, goods.

BRAT. In the advertisement of Michaelmas meeting of Freeholders, Five shire, in our last, — Ebenezer Marshall, Esq; of Hilarie, was by mistake, called Ebenezer Marshall, Esq; of Kilarie.

ROYAL BANK, EDINBURGH, 3d August, 1785.

THE Court of Directors of the Royal Bank of Scotland give notice, That there is a General Court of Proprietors to be held at their office in Edinburgh, on Tuesday the 6th day of September next, at twelve o'clock noon, pursuant to the charter.

ARCH. HOPE, Secretary.

THE DRUGGIST AND APOTHECARY

BUSINESS, lately carried on by JAMES DONALD, deceased, will be continued, as formerly, at the Laboratory, opposite to the Guard, north side of the High Street, Edinburgh; where the orders of correspondents will be received, and punctually executed. Those who are pleased to continue their correspondence will direct their orders as usual.

All persons having any demands upon the late Mr DONALD, will please immediately to lodge notes of the same at the Laboratory; and such as are indebted to him will order payment as speedily as possible.

TO BE SOLD,

A Very Genteel HOUSE, the southmost except one, east side of St John's Street.

Below the level of the street are kitchen, housekeeper's room; servants hall, cook's closet, china closet and pantry, laundry, servants' sleeping room, lumber-room, with beer, wine, and coal cellars. In the back-yard, scullery, bottle-rack, &c.

Parlour-floor consists of dining room and breakfast parlour.

Principal floor—drawing room and bed-rooms, with three closets.

Lodging floor—six bed-rooms. Principal bed-room has a dressing room, with fire-place, and all the rest have closets.

The offices are very ample, consisting of stable for six horses, completely fitted up, with six feet wide stalls; a hay-loft, which will contain 300 stones weight hay; servants room; a double coach-house, and a place for straw; with a pump-well.

For particulars, enquire at Mess. Young and Trotter.

This day is Published,
AN APPENDIX
To W. MARTIN'S Sale Catalogue,
USEFUL, CURIOUS, AND RARE BOOKS.
To be had gratis at his Shop, head of the Lawn-Market.
At the same place may be had,
The few remaining copies of Mr Thomas Mercer's Poems, price 2 s. 6 d.

ZETLAND FISH.
JUST arrived from Zetland, a quantity of LING and TUSK FISH, of an exceeding good quality, to be sold wholesale and retail by Black and Thomson at their Fish cellar, Coal-hill, Leith. Of whom may be also had, a quantity of best new double Archangel MATTS.

ISLAY BLACK CATTLE TRYST.
THERE is to be a TRYST for the SALE of BLACK CATTLE at Bridge-end, in the Island of Islay, on Monday the 26th of September next, where there will be a great show of COWS and STOTS; and there will be another Tryst held in the same place in the end of October next, for the Sale of wintering COWS and STOTS.

To be SOLD by private bargain,
TWO INCLOSURES, containing between sixteen and seventeen acres, with a Garden of about half an acre, a Stable, and other Offices, all lying on the east side of the New Row, Dunfermline. The ground affords a pleasant situation for a house, and there are stones on the spot for building.
Enquire at Mr John Eckford merchant in Dunfermline.

To be SOLD by public voluntary roup, within the Exchange Coffee-house, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 14th current, betwixt the hours of five and six o'clock afternoon,
THREE ACRES, or thereby, of arable Land, with Houses, Barns, and small Yards, lying within the town of East-Fenton.
This spot of ground, houses, and yards, lie about five miles north from Haddington, are pleasantly situated, and command a most agreeable and extensive prospect of the adjacent country. They hold feu of Mr Nibbet of Dirlerton, and will be sold with the burden of a life rent right.
For particulars apply to Hamilton Bell writer to the signet, in whose hands will be seen the articles of roup.

VILLA near Edinburgh, and HOUSE in Argyle's Square.
TO be SOLD by public roup, within the Exchange Coffeehouse, on Tuesday the 29th day of November next, betwixt the hours of five and seven in the afternoon,
That VILLA in Broughton, near Edinburgh, which belonged to the late Thomas Shairp, Secretary of the Royal Bank, with the Garden and Shrubbery belonging thereto, and with coach-house, stable, and other offices. The House consists of five rooms, kitchen, and several conveniences. It is finished with uncommon taste and elegance, and commands a most beautiful and extensive prospect. Also that piece of GROUND, consisting of about one acre Scots measure, adjoining the above, on the south-west, with a coach-road from Broughton Loan. This ground, which is without the Royalty of Edinburgh, from its vicinity to Queen-street, may be built on with great advantage; and the form of a square projected upon this ground, by the late Mr Shairp, may be seen.
Also That HOUSE in Argyle's Square, upon the south side, presently possessed by Miss Bruce, consisting of eight rooms, kitchen, cellars, back-area, and other conveniences.
The house at Broughton may be seen at any time; and the house in Argyle's square on Tuesdays and Fridays between one and three o'clock.
The title-deeds and plan of the ground at Broughton, and the conditions of sale, to be seen in the hands of John Campbell writer to the signet.

HOUSES AND GROUND IN LIFESHIRE.
TO BE SOLD.
THAT TENEMENT of HOUSES lying in the Mill-row of Inverkeithing, consisting of two storeys and garret, with the Malt-barn and Kiln adjoining; where a convenient and extensive brewery may be carried on.
A L S O,
Another TENEMENT, lying contiguous to the said Malt-barn.
A L S O,
That GROUND or GARDEN at the back of the said Tenements, stocked with fruit-trees of different kinds.
AND LIKE WISE,
That piece of Ground called the FLUTHERS, upon which there is some barren timber growing that will soon be of use, lying on the south side of the bridge of Inverkeithing.
The aforesaid subjects, which formerly belonged to the deceased James Duncan brewer in Inverkeithing, will be sold together or separately, as purchasers incline.
For further particulars apply to Mr William Morrison writer, Edinburgh, who will show the title-deeds, and has power to conclude a bargain.

HOUSE TO SELL.
To be SOLD by public roup, within the Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 30th day of November next, betwixt the hours of six and seven afternoon,
A General LODGING or DWELLING-HOUSE, in the High School Square, Edinburgh, presently possessed by Mr Congdon the proprietor, consisting of three stories, and an attic story. On the first or sunk story, there is a kitchen, servants rooms, and a number of other conveniences. On the second floor, a dining-room, and elegant drawing-room, with a large bow window to the east. On the third floor, there are two excellent bed-rooms, and a dressing-room; and in the attic story, there are two good bed-rooms with closets. Behind the house is a back court or area, containing water pipe, cellars, and a number of other conveniences.
The situation of the above house is remarkably free and airy, being open both to the east and west; and from its vicinity to the High School, seems particularly well calculated for the education of a young family. The house has easy access from the square, and the proprietor of it has the privilege of a large green bank behind the Surgeons-Hall for drying clothes or walking, &c.
For particulars apply to Samuel Mitchell clerk to the signet, Carubber's Close, who will treat with any person that wishes to make a private bargain betwixt and the day of sale.
The house may be seen every forenoon; and the key will be found at Miss Elliot's, Brown Square. And if a private bargain is concluded, the purchaser may enter to possession immediately, or at Martinmas next.

An experienced Overseer and Cattle Man
WANTED AT MARTINMAS.
HE must be an active middle-aged man, not under thirty, perfectly sober, and of undoubted integrity, for which he must give security, write well, keep books correctly, and be perfectly master of buying and selling cattle, and the general management of a farm.
If he has ever been a factor, or understands the writer business, his encouragement will be the larger; or if of superior rank and abilities, he may be allowed a cattle man to assist, though he must understand cattle himself.
Letters addressed to Mr Young writer, West Bow, Edinburgh, will be attended to, if likely to answer, and wrote in the person's own hand, with a distinct account of himself and who he has served, the encouragement expected, &c.
N. B. A Carpenter or Wright, a Smith, and a Mason, are wanted to settle on the above estate near Edinburgh, who will get constant work and a free house and garden.
ALSO Road-makers and Ditchers wanted. — Enquire of James Richmond feedman, Grass-market.

NOTICE
To the CREDITORS of the late CAPTAIN JAMES MOODIE, Shipmaster in Greenock.
THE Creditors of the said Captain Moodie are requested to lodge their claims, with affidavits to the verity of their debts, in the hands of Mr John Macmillan merchant in Greenock, one of his trustees, betwixt the 1st day of January next, when, or so soon after as possible, a settlement of his affairs will take place.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Freeholders of the County of Haddington, That their Michaelmas meeting shall be held this year, upon Tuesday the 4th day of October next; and that a claim has been lodged, in due time, with the Sheriff-clerk, for inrolling Francis Buchan, Esq; merchant in Edinburgh.

A V I L L A

To be LET for one, two, or more years, and entered to at Martinmas next.

THE House and Lands of **POWDERHALL**, which lately belonged to Mr Daniel Seton, merchant in Edinburgh, lying in the parish of St Cuthbert's, and thire of Edinburgh, presently possessed by William Miller, Esq; and James Foreman.

These lands are pleasantly situated upon the banks of the Water of Leith, contain about sixteen Scots acres of a very rich soil, all completely inclosed, and divided into three different fields, surrounded with thriving and beautiful stripes of planting. The pleasure ground is laid out with taste; and the garden and wall surrounding the pleasure ground are stocked with fruit trees of many different kinds, which produce remarkably well.

The house stands upon the Bonnington road to Leith, within 25 minutes walk of the Cross of Edinburgh, and consists of a kitchen and eleven fire-rooms, besides five bed-rooms, and two large light closets in the garret storey. There are also two cellars, one of them with catacombs; and a complete set of offices, containing a stable for six horses, coach-house, cart-house, byre for four cows, milk-house, washing-house, and large laundry, with two servants rooms, and several other conveniences. At the offices is a pump-well, plentifully supplied; and, at the head of the entry from the Bonnington road, there is a good gardener's house of two apartments.

The house will be seen weekly on *Wednesday only*, betwixt one and three o'clock afternoon. For further particulars apply to James Marshall writer to the signet, in whose hands a plan of the premises will be seen.

BY ADJOURNMENT.

TO be SOLD by public roup, within the house of John Fraser, vintner in Inverary, upon Thursday the 29th September current, betwixt the hours of one and two in the afternoon.

All and Whole the Three Merk Land of LECKUARIE, lying within the parish of Glasfric, and thire of Argyle.

These lands are finely situated on the banks of the river Kirn, about ten miles to the southward of Inverary: and as they are only let for the current year, the purchaser will have it in his power at Whitsunday next, either to enter into possession of them, or to dispose of them otherwise as he chuses. The present free rent is 40l. 12s. 1d. 2-3ds Sterling; but, if the lands are let in tack, the expositors are well informed, that they will bring at least 5l. of advance.

There is an annuity of about 20l. Sterling at present paid out of the lands to a very old annuitant; and during this person's life, 400 l. of the price will be allowed to remain in the purchaser's hands upon heritable security to pay the annuity.

The lands are to be exposed at the reduced upset price of 900 l. Sterling. The progress of writs and articles of roup, are to be seen in the hands of John Leckie writer in Glasgow; and a copy of the articles, with an inventory of the writings, are lodged with Mr John McNail, writer in Inverary, to either of whom, persons intending to purchase, may apply for further information.

TO be FEUED (for building upon, agreeably to a design) by auction, within the Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 6th day of October 1785, between six and seven afternoon.

That Piece of Ground formerly known by the name of MOWBRAY'S PARK, stretching about 400 feet along the north side of the road to Leith from Register-street, to within nine feet of the house presently building by Mr Robertson.

The vicinity of this ground to the Register-Office and New Town, renders it a desirable situation for building upon; and the elevation, agreeably to which the houses to be erected on it must be built, has been designed by Robert Adams, Esq; architect.

The conditions of roup, and the elevation, will be shown by Mr Salisbury at the Register-Office, who will inform of further particulars.



FOR OPORTO, THE MARIA,

PETER CROUDEN Master,

Will sail in a few days from Hull, and returns to Leith. For freight home, apply to Bell and Rennie at Leith, or to Office, Campion, Brooks, and Company, at Oporto. Not to be repeated.

FOR CADIZ,

(And to return with Wines to Leith)

THE PRINCE WILLIAM,

M'NAUGHTON RAMSAY,

Will sail from Leith the 25th September. For freight of goods or passage outwards, and for freight of Wines homewards, please apply to Charles Cowan, merchant in Leith, or Captain Ramsay.

Sherry and Zerry-WINE in Butts, to be Sold by the said Charles Cowan.



For KINGSTON, Jamaica,

To land Goods at St KITT'S,

THE BRIGANTINE BELL,

JOHN CATHCART Master,

Now ready to take on board goods at Greenock, and will be clear to sail in all September. For freight or passage, apply to James Buchanan, Glasgow, to John Hamilton, or Capt Cathcart, Greenock.

The Bell is a fine new vessel, British built, and can accommodate a number of passengers.

AT JAMAICA FOR LEITH, THE ROSELLE,

(About 300 Tons)

Captain THOMAS HOGG,

Will be ready to take on board goods at Kingston, Port Antonio, Port Morant, Morant Bay, and places adjacent, by Christmas next, to be discharged at Leith for the London freight.

Apply to William Sibbald and Company, merchants, Leith, who have for sale a parcel of good Jamaica and Grenada RUM, in puncheons or small quantities.

For CHARLESTOWN in South Carolina State,

And from thence to KINGSTON in JAMAICA,

THE ROBERT AND MARY,

A New BRIG fitted out with all expedition at Kincardine, and is now ready to receive goods there, and intends to be at Leith by the 15th September 1785, to lie there for goods and passengers until the 1st of October, when she will sail, wind and weather serving. As the ship is built on purpose for the trade, passengers may depend on being well accommodated.

For freight or passage apply to the owner Robert Hutchison at Kincardine, or the following gentlemen, viz. Mr James Izett, New Bridge, Edinburgh, Mr John Learmonth merchant in Leith, Mr John Dalgligh merchant at Borrowstounness, and Mr Alexander Duncan clerk for the Carron Company at Grangemouth. Letters or goods to go with this ship, addressed to any of the above, will be properly attended to.

A FARM TO SELL.

TO be SOLD by public roup, within the Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, upon Thursday the 15th day of September current.

The Farm of **CROW-CRAIG**, lying in the parish of Walfon, and thire of Lanark.

This farm consists of about 77 acres, and is situated within three miles of Carnwath, and the like distance from Biggar, which are both market towns. There is within the lands an inexhaustible lime quarry, with coal below the lime stone, which can be wrought at very little expence; and there is likewise abundance of free-stone in different parts of the grounds.

This farm, from the conveniences that have been mentioned, joined to the lands being of a most excellent soil, is capable of the highest improvement, and by its being situated in a populous and pleasant country, would afford a most agreeable retreat, to a person retiring from business.

The farm is at present under tack, of which there is ten years yet to run; but in case the person purchasing is desirous of entering immediately into the natural possession, a release of the tack can be obtained upon very reasonable terms.

For more particulars, persons intending to purchase will please apply to John Peat, and John Sommerville, writers in Edinburgh, who will show the title-deeds, and are empowered to sell by private bargain, betwixt and the day of roup.

LANDS IN AYR-SHIRE.

TO be SOLD by public roup, within the Tontine Coffeehouse in Glasgow, on Wednesday the 7th day of September, 1785, betwixt the hours of one and three afternoon.

THE LANDS AFTER MENTIONED, in Two Lots, viz. LOT I. All and Whole the fifty-shilling Land of **KIRKTONHALL**, with the houses and pertinents of the same, and Seat in the Kirk of Kilbride, within the parish of Kilbride and thire of Ayr.

These lands are pleasantly situated on the sea-shore, betwixt the village of Kilbride and the sea, and are capable of great improvements. LOT II. All and Whole the Lands of **KNOCKEWART**, with the Seat in the Kirk of Ardrossan, and teinds, parsonage, and vicarage of the said lands, with houses and other pertinents, lying within the parish of Ardrossan and thire of Ayr.

The proprietor having been under age and abroad, neither of the lots are in tack, but are possessed by tenants from year to year, at low rents.

Lot I. contains 130 Scots acres, at present possessed by Humph. Barbour and his subtenants, at the nett yearly rent of 56 l. Sterling; for, besides this rent, the tenant pays the feu-duty, land-tax, minister's stipend, school-master's salary, and every other public burden, without any allowance for them.—The principal tenant sublets part of this lot to advantage, and for a higher price than he pays the landlord.

Lot II. contains 354 Scots acres or thereby, and is at present possessed by Robert Craig, who pays 105 l. Sterling of yearly rent, besides the feu-duty, and all public burdens, without any deduction for them from the rent.

The progress of writings and articles of roup are to be seen in the hands of Thomas and Robert Grahame writers in Glasgow, to whom any who incline to purchase by private bargain may apply.

JUDICIAL SALE.

TO be SOLD by authority of the Lords of Council and Session, within the Parliament or New Session House of Edinburgh, upon the 25th day of January next to come, betwixt the hours of four and six afternoon, **ALL and WHOLE the LANDS of PHONES and ETTERISH**, with their pertinents, lying in the parish of Kington, Lordship of Badenoch, and county of Inverness; the proven free stock whereof, after all deductions, is 62 l. 19s. 8d. 1-12ths Sterling; and the free teind of the same is 14 l. 2s. 8d. 9-12ths. The proven value of the said free stock is 163 l. 11s. 6d. 2-12ths. And the free teind is valued at 70 l. 13s. 7d. 9-12ths. The value of both stock and teind being 1708 l. 5s. 1d. 11-12ths.

Both these lands hold of the Duke of Gordon for payment of 6l. 4s. 7d. Sterling of feu-duty, including converted customs and services. They are pleasantly situated upon the edge of the military road leading from Perth to Inverness, well accommodated with extensive pasturages, and a desirable purchase for a sportsman, having immediate access to fishing and fowling, and a delightful prospect of natural woods and running waters at every quarter.

The rental, progress, and articles of roup are to be seen in the hands of Keith Dunbar Depute-Clerk of Session.

LANDS IN FIFE.

To be Sold by Private Bargain,

THE Lands, Tenantry, and Estate of **TEASSES and BANDIRAN**, with the Tiends thereof, lying within the parish of Ceres and the-ridford of Fife.

The rent, after deducting minister's stipend, and exclusive of a lime quarry, is about 475 l. Sterling yearly. The tacks, one excepted, expire at Martinmas 1789.

The estate is extensive, consisting of above 1100 Scots acres, and as it is not inclosed, and as there is abundance of lime in the lands, and of coal in the near neighbourhood, it is capable of very great improvement. The lime is inexhaustible, and is well known to be of the best quality both as to strength and colour. It has for some years past been wrought by the proprietor, and yielded about 70 l. Sterling yearly of free profit.

The greater part of the price may remain in the purchaser's hands, upon proper security.

The progress of writs, with the rental and surveys of the estate, may be seen in the hands of David Erskine, clerk to the signet, from whom further information may be had.

SALE of LANDS in the County of Orkney.

THERE will be SOLD, by public roup, within the house of William Young writer in Stromness, upon Tuesday the 20th day of September 1785, betwixt the hours of ten in the forenoon and twelve mid day,

All and Whole the Lands and Estate of **STENNESS**, and the teinds, parsonage, and vicarage thereof, lying in the parishes of Stromness, Evie, St Olla, or Kirkwall, and Roway. The free rent whereof, after deduction of feu-duties, ministers stipends, and schoolmaster's salaries, amounts to 328 l. Sterling.

These lands are of a good soil, and consist mostly of tillage farms; and the tenants are all substantial. Upon the lands in parishes of Evie and St Olla, from 15 to 20 tons of kelp are made yearly, on which no value is put in the rental. They are particularly well situated for carrying on an extensive fishery; and a cod-fishery was formerly carried on along the adjacent coast to good advantage. The coast abounds with sea ware for manure; and upon that part of the estate called Aikerness in the parish of Evie, there is a commodious mansion-house, with offices of all kinds. The lands of Stenness lie within two miles of the thriving sea-port town of Stromness; and part of the other lands lie within a mile of the town of Kirkwall. Upon different parts of the lands, there is plenty of good marl, and there is an extensive hill pasture belonging to the estate. The lands hold of the Crown, and the valued rent is sufficient to afford two freehold qualifications in the county. A new manse and offices have lately been built in the parish of Evie; so that no expence on that account will fall on the heritors many years to come.

The above lands will be sold jointly or in such lots as may suit purchasers; but if sold in lots, they will hold of the disposer for payment of small feu-duties; and the casualties of superiority will be fixed at very moderate rates.

To be SOLD, at same time, the Lands of **NESS**, in the parish of Stromness; the yearly rent whereof, after all deductions, is 8 l. 1s 6 1/2 d. Sterling.

Upon these lands 4 tons of kelp are made yearly, and they are likewise well adapted for carrying on a fishery, as they lie upon the entrance to the harbour of Stromness.

For particulars, enquiry may be made at Mr Mitchellson, Nicholson Street, who has powers to sell the lands by private bargain, either jointly or in such lots as can be agreed on.

And copies of the rental may be seen in the hands of the said William Young, or of Hugh Yorlson factor on the estates.

To be LET for TILLAGE, and entered to at Michaelmas first, **THAT** capital FARM, called the **MAINS OF DALMENIE**, near Queensferry, as now possessed by Mr Murray, who quits it at this term. It is completely inclosed, and has in it above 70 acres of pasture, fit for breaking up, with houses and every convenience for a principal farmer. Enquire at Barnbougle Cattle.

At Ochiltree, two miles east of Linlithgow, the **SOUTH FARM** thereof, containing about 100 acres of fine arable land, inclosed, and mostly laid down in grass, which will be let for tillage or pasture, and for such number of years as can be agreed on. There are houses, barns, &c. upon it, fit for the farm.

LIKEWISE, The Store Farm of **BLACKHOPE**, containing about 1600 acres of fine dry pasture land, in the parish of Heriot, in Mid Lothian.

And at **PRIMROSE**, or **CARRINGTON**, There are several FARMS to Let, for tillage or pasture—A **COAL**, level free.

The baron officers will show the grounds; and for further particulars apply to Mr Clark, at his farm of Summerleide, near Dalkeith, or to Mr Young writer, West Bow, Edinburgh.

WHALE OIL.

TO be SOLD, by public roup, within the Whale-Fishing Company's Office in Dunbar, upon Thursday the 22d day of September next, at twelve o'clock noon,

A QUANTITY OF WHALE OIL. 200 SEAL SKINS, of a large size.

The Directors of the Whale-Fishing Company will receive proposals from persons willing to furnish them 26,000 pounds Amsterdam weight of FRESH BEEF.

The proposals to be given in before the 20th of October next; and the cattle to be killed at Dunbar.

SALE OF STRALOECH.

To be SOLD by judicial sale, upon the 1st of December next, **THE** Lands and Estate of **STRALOECH**, lying in the parishes of Mouline, and Kirkmichael, and county of Perth.

Further particulars to be afterwards advertised; in the mean time further information may be had from Adam Stewart writer in Edinburgh.

LANDS IN MID-LOTHIAN TO BE SOLD.

TO be SOLD by public roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 28th September current, betwixt the hours of four and five afternoon.

The Lands of **LEITH-HEAD**, comprehending the Inn and 40 acres of land let therewith, commonly known by the name of *Little Valley*, lying in the parish of Kirknewton and county of Edinburgh.

The lands in whole consist of about 260 acres, and there was lately built upon them a mansion-house fit to accommodate a pretty large family. They are situated eleven measured miles from Edinburgh, on the great road leading from thence to Lanark and the thire of Ayr.

If the lands are not sold, the whole, except the inn and 40 acres of land, will be let for a year, and to be entered to at Martinmas first. For further particulars apply to James Sommers writer in Edinburgh.

SALE OF GARTHSHIRE ADJOURNED.

At the Desire of a person intending to offer, **TO** be SOLD by public roup, on Wednesday the 14th September 1785, in the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, at five o'clock afternoon.

The Lands and Estate of **GARTHSHIRE**, lying in the parish of Old Monkland, and thire of Lanark, consisting of 990 Scots acres. The free rental of the estate is 321 l. Sterling; and there is about 600 acres properly inclosed, and subdivided, and about 100 acres of planting and natural wood, besides a large quantity of moss. There is a good mansion-house, with offices and garden on the estate. The grounds round the house are well dressed, and there are a number of fine old trees scattered over the ground adjacent to the house. There is coal in the estate, which may be wrought to great advantage, as there is a cut therefrom to the Monkland Canal, for transporting them to Glasgow.

The lands hold of the Crown, and stand valued in the cess-books of the county at 523 l. 6s. 8d. Scots. The turnpike-road from Glasgow to Edinburgh, by Airdrie, passes within a mile of the house, which is 37 English miles distant from Edinburgh, and nine from Glasgow.

The rental and title-deeds will be seen in the hands of George Martin or Thomas Smith writers, Argyle's Square, Edinburgh; and they, or Mr George Bogle, merchant in Glasgow, will inform as to other particulars.

If agreeable to the purchaser, a considerable part of the price will be allowed to remain in his hands.

The house and lands will be shown by James Thom at Garthshire.

LANDS in the Counties of Peebles and Dumfriess. **TO** be SOLD by public roup, within the New Exchange Coffeehouse, in Edinburgh, upon Monday the 28th day of November next, at five o'clock afternoon.

The Lands of **NETHER HORSBRUGH** and **GABERSTON**, lying in the parish of Innerleithen and county of Peebles; and the lands of **ELLIESLAND**, lying in the parish of Dunfermline, and county of Dumfriess. These lands consist of three exceeding good farms, all holding of the Crown, and each entitling to vote for a member to serve in Parliament. They are under leases to substantial tenants, and must rise very considerably in their rents, particularly the two first, which are let for large grasslands, and at low rents. The present rents are, for Nether Horsbrugh, 140 l. 8s. 5d. 4-12ths; for Gaberston, 166 l.; and for Elliesland, 50 l.

The tenants will show the lands; and the title-deeds, articles of roup, &c. are to be seen in the hands of John Tait, writer to the signet, Shakespeare's Square, Edinburgh, to whom any person may apply, who wishes to purchase by private bargain.

LANDS IN FIFE TO BE SOLD.

THE Lands and Estate of **KILLEARNIE**, lying in the parish of St-line and thire of Fife, will be sold by private bargain.

This estate consists of 692 Scots acres, and the rents have not been raised for upwards of 60 years; the whole tacks upon the estate are expired, and the tenants bound to remove at Martinmas next; and the present proprietor, though offered more than double rent, has declined to let any of the farms, in order that a purchaser may enter to the possession of the whole at the above term, if he chuses. The lands are entirely in the state of nature, and, as the soil is good, they are capable of the highest improvement. They are conveniently situated in respect both of coal and lime, as there is a good field of coal within the estate which may be wrought to advantage, and there is abundance of lime in the neighbouring grounds. The estate holds of the Crown, and stands valued in the cess-books of the county at 721 l. Scots.

For further particulars application may be made to Major Aytoun the proprietor, at Inchdarny, or to Samuel Mitchellson junior, writer to the signet, Edinburgh.—If not sold before the 1st of October, the farms will be let.

SALE OF BALLINLOAN.

TO be SOLD by public voluntary roup, upon Thursday the 8th day of September current, at 12 o'clock mid-day, within the house of Andrew Duff vintner at Inver, near Dunkeld.

The Lands and Estate of **BALLINLOAN**, lying in Strathbrann, in the parish of Little Dunkeld, and county of Perth.

These lands lie in a pleasant highland situation, within two Scots miles of Dunkeld, and ten of Perth; to both which places the king's high-way, leading through the estate, affords easy access; and as said lands abound in variety of game, have a commodious mansion-house, lately built, with kitchen, and suitable offices, they are well calculated for goat-why and shooting quarters.

This estate is mostly out of lease, and very improvable; has an excellent extensive hill, and will, upon a division of hill-common with the neighbouring heritors, be entitled to a large share.

Further particulars may be had, by applying to Mr Robert Cargill merchant in Dunkeld, or to Adam Stewart writer in Edinburgh.